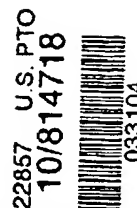




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REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION

To the Commissioner for Patents:

This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior international application number PCT/JP02/08848, filed on August 30, 2002 entitled TRANSFER TAPE which designated the United States.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 2 sheet(s) of drawings, 21 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices : N/A.
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to : _____.
- ☒ Form PCT/IB/308 (PCT/JP02/08848).
- ☒ International Publication (WO 03/031530 A1).
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (in dup.), Form PTO-1449, 2 Cited References.
- ☒ Priority of foreign application number JP 2001-305412 filed on October 1, 2001 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119 (a)-(d).
- ☐ The certified copy is enclosed.

Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	35-20	15
Indep. Claims	3-3	0
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

*If the difference in col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in col. 2.

Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 385
x\$9=	\$
x\$43=	\$
+\$145=	\$
Total	\$

Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 770
15x\$18=	\$270
x\$86=	\$0
+\$290=	\$
Total	\$1040

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$: _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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